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Dear USDA:

This country MUST continue to make significant progress in its treatment of animals, not only as regards human consumption, but with much more compassion for defenseless sentient creatures. In your employ with USDA, you have a major opportunity to influence this important matter.

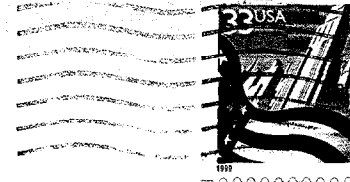
We strongly urge support of Farm Sanctuary's petition to prohibit slaughter of downed animals, and we demand rules and enforcement to promote humane treatment of downers and all animals. Slaughterhouses must not be allowed to butcher animals which are still alive and conscious! There must be conscientious monitoring of these essentially inhumane operations. It is the shame of this country, and it is your responsibility.

Mr. & Mrs. G. Martinson

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